

# Interference Search

## EAST Search History

Ref #	Hits	Search Query	DBs	Default Operator	Plurals	Time Stamp
L4	0	((requests with (ip near1 address)) same (response near3 capacity)).clm.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; DERWENT	OR	OFF	2007/06/20 15:22
L5	16	((requests with (ip near1 address)) same (responses)).clm.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; DERWENT	OR	OFF	2007/06/20 15:24
L6	0	((requests with (ip near1 address)) and (response near3 capacity)).clm.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; DERWENT	OR	OFF	2007/06/20 15:24
L7	0	((requests with (ip near1 address)) and (response near5 capacity)).clm.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; DERWENT	OR	OFF	2007/06/20 15:25
L8	0	((requests with (ip near1 address)) and (response with capacity)).clm.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; DERWENT	OR	OFF	2007/06/20 15:25

File 9:Business & Industry(R) Jul/1994-2007/Jun 15  
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File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM) 1987-2007/Jun 15  
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(c) 2007 CMP Media, LLC  
File 674:Computer News Fulltext 1989-2006/Sep w1  
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Set	Items	Description
S1	14710	(UNIVERSAL?? OR USER? ? OR UNIFORM??)(1W)RESOURCE? ?
S2	7439	S1(1W)(IDENTIFIE?? OR IDENTIFICATION? ? OR IDENTIFY? OR IN- DICAT???? OR LOCAT???? OR ID OR IDS OR NAME? ? OR NUMBER? ? OR NUMERAL? ? OR NUMERIC???)
S3	305207	URL OR URLS OR URI OR URIS OR URN OR URNS
S4	8701582	(WEB OR INTERNET OR WWW OR W3 OR NET)(1W)(SITE? ? OR PAGE? ? OR ADDRESS?? OR IDENTIFIER? ?) OR WEBPAGE? OR WEBSITE?
S5	426151	HOMEPAGE? OR HOME()PAGE? ?
S6	148345	(IP OR INTERNET()PROTOCOL OR DOMAIN)(1W)(ADDRESS?? OR NAME? ? OR NUMBER? ?) OR DOTTED(1W)QUAD? ? OR FQDN? ?
S7	8212392	REQUEST??? OR QUERY??? OR QUERIE? ? OR INQUIR? OR ENQUIR? - OR REQUISITION? ? OR ATTEMPT? OR TRIE? ? OR TRY???
S8	50663	PING???
S9	67743	(MANY OR MULTI OR SEVERAL OR NUMEROUS OR PLURAL? OR MULTIT- UD? OR PLURIF? OR MULTIPLICIT?)(1W)S7
S10	3163	(ARRAY? ? OR MYRIAD? ? OR SERIES)(1W)S7
S11	12396	S7(3N)(COPIOUS? OR PROFUSION? OR PLENITUD? OR MASS???)
S12	40300	S7(3N)(FLOOD??? OR BULK OR VOLUME? ? OR PIPELIN??? OR CASC- AD??? OR CLUSTER??? OR CHAIN??? OR REDUNDAN?)
S13	184822	S7(3N)(ABUNDAN? OR MULTIPLE? ? OR GROUP??? OR VOLUMINOUS? - OR QUANTITY? ? OR QUANTITIES OR NUMBER? ?)
S14	14581679	SITE OR SITES OR PAGE OR PAGES OR ADDRESS?? OR DOMAIN? ?
S15	2480520	LEGITIMA? OR VALID? OR AUTHENTIC? OR VERIFY? OR VERIFIE?? - OR VERIFICAT? OR SUBSTANTIAT? OR GENUINE OR BONAFIDE? OR BONA- ( )FIDE? ?
S16	19766	S15(5N)S2:S6
S17	73066	S15(5N)S14
S18	2238	S8(5N)(S2:S6 OR S14)
S19	162	S18 AND S16:S17
S20	151	S18(50N)S15
S21	8027	S9:S13(5N)(SEND??? OR SENT OR SUBMIT? OR SUBMISSION? ? OR -

TRANSMIT? OR TRANSMISSION? ? OR DISSEMINAT? OR ISSU???)  
 S22 4401 S9:S13(5N)(ISSUANCE? ? OR STREAM??? OR DISPATCH? OR DELIVE-  
 R??? OR CONVERY????? OR DISTRIBUT???? OR NETCAST?)  
 S23 3043 S9:S13(5N)(THROUGHPUT? OR THROUGH()PUT???? OR COMMUNICAT??-  
 ?? OR UNICAST? OR CYBERCAST? OR BROADCAST? OR WEBCAST?)  
 S24 545 S9:S13(5N)(MULTICAST? OR NETCAST? OR MULTISTREAM? OR EXPOR-  
 T??? OR EXPORTATION? OR CYBERSTREAM? OR NARROWCAST?)  
 S25 286 S9:S13(5N)(DISPERS? OR DISBURS? OR CAST???)  
 S26 1026 S21:S25(7N)(S2:S6 OR S14)  
 S27 8 S26(50N)S16:S17  
 S28 159 S20 OR S27  
 S29 41 S28/2004:2007  
 S30 118 S28 NOT S29  
 S31 63 RD (unique items)  
 ? t31/3,k/4,6-7,9,11,20,23,33,46,50,59

31/3,K/4 (Item 3 from file: 13)  
 DIALOG(R)File 13:BAMP  
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00830063 Supplier Number: 97873087 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)  
 Can you hack it? Penetration testing gives companies a way to find their  
 vulnerabilities before hackers use them to break in and cause harm.  
 (Computer Security).

Security Management, v 47, n 2, p 83  
 February 2003  
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal ISSN: 0145-9406 (United States)  
 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
 WORD COUNT: 3354

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:  
 ...which is mapped to two names: www.bobscomputersystems.com and  
 www.buy-bcs.com.

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 unregistered hosts on the network (that is, machines not registered with  
 the domain name server), the team next performs ping (messages sent  
 to verify the existence of an IP address) as well as "traceroute" scans  
 on the target network...

31/3,K/6 (Item 5 from file: 13)  
 DIALOG(R)File 13:BAMP  
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00774795 Supplier Number: 25177384 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)  
 WEB SITE PERSPECTIVE HOLDS THE KEY TO PERFORMANCE MONITORING

Article Author(s): MacVittie, Lori  
 Network Computing, p 20  
 March 18, 2002  
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal ISSN: 1046-4468 (United States)  
 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
 WORD COUNT: 1069

TEXT:  
 By: Lori MacVittie

Web site monitoring is growing up. Industry tools, such as Keynote Systems'  
 Web Site Perspective, have gone from simply pinging servers to  
 actually opening and closing TCP connections, performing complex synthetic

transactions, and providing content- verification support. Now Keynote Systems, one of the oldest players in the web site monitoring game...

31/3,K/7 (Item 6 from file: 13)  
DIALOG(R)File 13:BAMP  
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00771806 Supplier Number: 25128495 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)  
Facing Your Flaws: The red team probes the network for a company to identify possible vulnerabilities and design flaws. (Computer Security)

Article Author(s): Bumgarner, John N  
Security Management, v 46, n 2, p 62(5)  
February 2002  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Case study ISSN: 0145-9406 (United States)  
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
WORD COUNT: 2546

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:  
...the router and the firewall. This prevents pings from reaching the network (messages sent to verify the existence of an IP address are called pings ) and can also help stave off denial of service attacks; this simple step will block...

31/3,K/9 (Item 8 from file: 13)  
DIALOG(R)File 13:BAMP  
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00711301 Supplier Number: 25789300 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)  
SLB Performance Verification  
(More and more Internet sites are using SLB (server loan balancing) equipment because it can vector traffic congestions; it also helps Internet efficiency by providing performance verification)  
Article Author(s): Schaefer, Dan  
Telecommunications Americas Edition Telecommunications, v 34, n 8, p 54,56  
August 2000  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal ISSN: 0278-4831 (United States)  
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
WORD COUNT: 1468

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:  
...the SLB switch. These health checks can range from simple ICMP (Internet Control Manager Protocol) Ping packets to requests for test web pages . An "incorrect" response may be a sluggish response or no response at all.

Some firewall...  
...the SLB switch needs to believe that all the simulated traffic is part of a legitimate connection.

SLB verification algorithms should be automated as much as possible. This reduces the workload...

31/3,K/11 (Item 1 from file: 16)  
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)  
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10624108 Supplier Number: 106030591 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

Xaffire to Provide Internap with IP Performance Monitoring Service; Leading Provider of Performance-Based Routing Selects Xaffire for Third-Party IP Verification.

Business Wire, p5309

July 30, 2003

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Document Type: Newswire; Trade

Word Count: 323

... accurate snapshot of carrier performance and customers' connectivity."

Xaffire Measurement Services offer true, third-party verification of Internap's performance through algorithmic "pinging" and trace routes to IP addresses. Xaffire's technology provides an accurate end-to-end view of Internet data flow that...

31/3,K/23 (Item 13 from file: 16)

DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)

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05976642 Supplier Number: 53278655 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

Coast Can Make You a Better Webmaster.(Coast Software's webMaster 3.0 web site management software)(Software Review)(Evaluation)

Ulanoff, Lance

Windows Magazine, p104(1)

Dec 1, 1998

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Article Type: Evaluation

Document Type: Magazine/Journal; General Trade

Word Count: 330

... slow-loading pages the program can find. This version also includes a WebMonitor, which can ping a site -or multiple sites -on a scheduled basis.

Rival programs such as LinkBot and Sitesweeper verify links, but WebMaster focuses on overall site efficiency. One truly unique feature is the PageRules...

31/3,K/33 (Item 4 from file: 47)

DIALOG(R)File 47:Gale Group Magazine DB(TM)

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05018226 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 20003888 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)

The Ninja of Internet attacks. (denial of service) (PC Week Netweek)

(Internet/Web/Online Service Information)

Wong, William

PC Week, v14, n48, pA60(1)

Nov 17, 1997

ISSN: 0740-1604

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract

WORD COUNT: 640

LINE COUNT: 00051

...ABSTRACT: relative ease. A denial of service attack floods a site with so many requests that legitimate traffic cannot enter or leave the site. Each denial of service attach employs a different...

...with less bandwidth. The smurf attack uses bounce sites, sending a broadcast message requesting a ping to the bounce site, which passes the request to others on its network. The responses all go the site...

31/3,K/46 (Item 3 from file: 275)

DIALOG(R)File 275:Gale Group Computer DB(TM)

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02100006 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 19716185 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)  
CPL Systems releases Scrambler/NT. (network monitoring software)(Product  
Announcement)  
HP Professional, v11, n8, p47(1)  
August, 1997  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Product Announcement ISSN: 0896-145X LANGUAGE:  
English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
WORD COUNT: 126 LINE COUNT: 00013

The network is monitored by pinging a list of IP addresses which  
can be any device or host on the network with a valid address. The  
"environment" is monitored by sensors which connect to the Scrambler Alert  
Server. This...

31/3,K/50 (Item 7 from file: 275)  
DIALOG(R)File 275:Gale Group Computer DB(TM)  
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01450169 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 11283925 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)  
Diagnosing network disorders. (troubleshooting local area  
networks)(includes related article on basic troubleshooting questions)  
(tutorial)  
Smith, Mark  
LAN Technology, v7, n10, p20(10)  
Oct, 1991  
DOCUMENT TYPE: tutorial ISSN: 1042-4695 LANGUAGE: ENGLISH  
RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT; ABSTRACT  
WORD COUNT: 6539 LINE COUNT: 00508

... such as claim tokens or beaconing. These frames can point you  
directly to the fault domain. On Ethernet networks, you can "ping"  
critical devices on the segment. If a device does not respond, look more  
closely at...

...high, see who is generating the traffic and why and make sure the  
traffic is legitimate. If the traffic is coming from a device that is  
chattering, or repeatedly transmitting data...

31/3,K/59 (Item 1 from file: 674)  
DIALOG(R)File 674:Computer News Fulltext  
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117743  
Another challenger to the IP address management king  
Journal: Network world Page Number: 40  
Publication Date: July 11, 05  
Word Count: 1010 Line Count: 100

Text:

... running DHCP servers, as well as primary/secondary DHCP servers. Both  
IPControland VitalQIP can optionally ping a DHCP address -requesting  
client at lease time to make sure a DHCP request isn't spurious. IPControl,  
VitalQIP and Meta IP offer logon authentication via callout script or  
program that you write. However, VitalQIPand Meta IP have explicit support  
...

File 696:DIALOG Telecom. Newsletters 1995-2007/Jun 19  
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 File 98:General Sci Abs 1984-2007/Jun  
 (c) 2007 The HW Wilson Co.  
 File 112:UBM Industry News 1998-2004/Jan 27  
 (c) 2004 United Business Media  
 File 141:Readers Guide 1983-2007/Apr  
 (c) 2007 The HW Wilson Co  
 File 484:Periodical Abs Plustext 1986-2007/Jun w2  
 (c) 2007 ProQuest  
 File 553:Wilson Bus. Abs. 1982-2007/Jun  
 (c) 2007 The HW Wilson Co  
 File 608:KR/T Bus.News. 1992-2007/Jun 20  
 (c)2007 Knight Ridder/Tribune Bus News  
 File 813:PR Newswire 1987-1999/Apr 30  
 (c) 1999 PR Newswire Association Inc  
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 (c) 2007 ProQuest Info&Learning  
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 (c) 1999 Business Wire  
 File 610:Business wire 1999-2007/Jun 19  
 (c) 2007 Business Wire.  
 File 369:New Scientist 1994-2007/Jan w2  
 (c) 2007 Reed Business Information Ltd.  
 File 370:Science 1996-1999/Jul w3  
 (c) 1999 AAAS

Set	Items	Description
S1	4601	(UNIVERSAL?? OR USER? ? OR UNIFORM??)(1W)RESOURCE? ?
S2	2396	S1(1W)(IDENTIFIE?? OR IDENTIFICATION? ? OR IDENTIFY? OR IN- DICAT???? OR LOCAT???? OR ID OR IDS OR NAME? ? OR NUMBER? ? OR NUMERAL? ? OR NUMERIC???)
S3	1012765	URL OR URLS OR URI OR URIS OR URN OR URNS
S4	3406941	(WEB OR INTERNET OR WWW OR W3 OR NET)(1W)(SITE? ? OR PAGE? ? OR ADDRESS?? OR IDENTIFIER? ?) OR WEBPAGE? OR WEBSITE?
S5	392565	HOMEPAGE? OR HOME()PAGE? ?
S6	39323	(IP OR INTERNET()PROTOCOL OR DOMAIN)(1W)(ADDRESS?? OR NAME? ? OR NUMBER? ?) OR DOTTED(1W)QUAD? ? OR FQDN? ?
S7	4178385	REQUEST??? OR QUERY??? OR QUERIE? ? OR INQUIR? OR ENQUIR? - OR REQUISITION? ? OR ATTEMPT? OR TRIE? ? OR TRY???
S8	21078	PING???
S9	39198	(MANY OR MULTI OR SEVERAL OR NUMEROUS OR PLURAL? OR MULTIT- UD? OR PLURIF? OR MULTIPLICIT?)(1W)S7
S10	1651	(ARRAY? ? OR MYRIAD? ? OR SERIES)(1W)S7
S11	6187	S7(3N)(COPIOUS? OR PROFUSION? OR PLENITUD? OR MASS???)
S12	18597	S7(3N)(FLOOD??? OR BULK OR VOLUME? ? OR PIPELIN??? OR CASC- AD??? OR CLUSTER??? OR CHAIN??? OR REDUNDAN?)
S13	104531	S7(3N)(ABUNDAN? OR MULTIPLE? ? OR GROUP??? OR VOLUMINOUS? - OR QUANTITY? ? OR QUANTITIES OR NUMBER? ?)
S14	6326978	SITE OR SITES OR PAGE OR PAGES OR ADDRESS?? OR DOMAIN? ?
S15	1103365	LEGITIMA? OR VALID? OR AUTHENTIC? OR VERIFY? OR VERIFIE?? - OR VERIFICAT? OR SUBSTANTIAT? OR GENUINE OR BONAFIDE? OR BONA- ( )FIDE? ?
S16	6036	S15(5N)S2:S6
S17	26754	S15(5N)S14
S18	666	S8(5N)(S2:S6 OR S14)
S19	23	S18 AND S16:S17
S20	32	S18(50N)S15
S21	3735	S9:S13(5N)(SEND??? OR SENT OR SUBMIT? OR SUBMISSION? ? OR -

TRANSMIT? OR TRANSMISSION? ? OR DISSEMINAT? OR ISSU???)  
S22 1545 S9:S13(5N)(ISSUANCE? ? OR STREAM??? OR DISPATCH? OR DELIVE-  
R??? OR CONVERY????? OR DISTRIBUT???? OR NETCAST?)  
S23 1371 S9:S13(5N)(THROUGHPUT? OR THROUGH()PUT???? OR COMMUNICAT??-  
?? OR UNICAST? OR CYBERCAST? OR BROADCAST? OR WEBCAST?)  
S24 189 S9:S13(5N)(MULTICAST? OR NETCAST? OR MULTISTREAM? OR EXPOR-  
T??? OR EXPORTATION? OR CYBERSTREAM? OR NARROWCAST?)  
S25 148 S9:S13(5N)(DISPERS? OR DISBURS? OR CAST???)  
S26 522 S21:S25(7N)(S2:S6 OR S14)  
S27 4 S26(50N)S16:S17  
S28 100 S16:S17(S)S9:S13  
S29 37 S28(S)S2:S6  
S30 73 S20 OR S27 OR S29  
S31 29 S30/2004:2007  
S32 44 S30 NOT S31  
S33 41 RD (unique items)

33/3,K/4 (Item 2 from file: 15)  
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)  
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02541483 283825461  
Can you hack it?  
Lam, Frank; Beekey, Mike; Cayo, Kevin  
Security Management v47n2 PP: 83-88 Feb 2003  
ISSN: 0145-9406 JRNL CODE: SEM  
WORD COUNT: 3428

...TEXT: which is mapped to two names: www.bobscomputersystems.com and  
www.buy-bcs.com.

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unregistered hosts on the network (that is, machines not registered with  
the domain name server), the team next performs ping (messages sent  
to verify the existence of an IP address) as well as "traceroute" scans  
on the target network...

33/3,K/7 (Item 5 from file: 15)  
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)  
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02348979 114485051  
Fight server overload  
Harbaugh, Logan C  
Infoworld v24n15 PP: 20 Apr 15, 2002  
ISSN: 0199-6649 JRNL CODE: IFW  
WORD COUNT: 628

...TEXT: the traffic), and virtual server.

Health-checking includes not only ensuring that servers respond to ping ,  
but also that specific URIs are available or that database requests  
return valid data. Notification of errors, failed servers, and other  
problems can be sent to administrators automatically...

33/3,K/8 (Item 6 from file: 15)  
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)  
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02319915 109746502  
Facing your flaws  
Bumgarner, John N



Security Management v46n2 PP: 62-67 Feb 2002  
ISSN: 0145-9406 JRNL CODE: SEM  
WORD COUNT: 2623

...TEXT: the router and the firewall. This prevents pings from reaching the network (messages sent to verify the existence of an IP address are called pings) and can also help stave off denial of service attacks; this simple step will block...

33/3,K/10 (Item 8 from file: 15)  
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)  
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02151433 71472890  
IP insecurity  
Radcliff, Deborah  
Computerworld v35n16 PP: 60-61 Apr 16, 2001  
ISSN: 0010-4841 JRNL CODE: COW  
WORD COUNT: 1460

...TEXT: the victim to all the servers on the network. Because the packets appear to be legitimate requests from a known address, all systems in the amplifying network reply to that address, overwhelming the legitimate machine and causing denial of service.

2. SYN Floods: denial-of-service attacks in which the attacker uses spoofed IP addresses to send multiple connection (SYN) requests to the target. The target system then sends acknowledgements and waits for replies. Because the...

33/3,K/11 (Item 9 from file: 15)  
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)  
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02133919 68802365  
Companies declare war on denial-of-service attacks  
Hulme, George V  
Informationweek n824 PP: 32 Feb 12, 2001  
ISSN: 8750-6874 JRNL CODE: IWK  
WORD COUNT: 328

...ABSTRACT: will launch tools to help defeat notorious denial-of-service attacks. These attacks broadcast large volumes of illegitimate requests over the Internet, crashing servers and hindering legitimate users' ability to access web sites under siege.

...TEXT: These attacks broadcast large volumes of illegitimate requests over the Internet, crashing servers and hindering legitimate users' ability to access web sites under siege.

Arbor Networks Inc. has developed an application that monitors, detects, traces, and filters...

33/3,K/14 (Item 12 from file: 15)  
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)  
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02056830 58611968  
SLB performance verification  
Schaefer, Dan  
Telecommunications v34n8 PP: 54-56 Aug 2000  
ISSN: 0278-4831 JRNL CODE: TEC

WORD COUNT: 1504

...TEXT: the SLB switch. These health checks can range from simple ICMP (Internet Control Manager Protocol) Ping packets to requests for test Web pages . An "incorrect" response may be a sluggish response or no response at all.

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33/3,k/15 (Item 13 from file: 15)  
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)  
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02020050 53375875  
Freedom from IP address overload  
Nance, Barry  
Network World v17n18 PP: 67-72 May 1, 2000  
ISSN: 0887-7661 JRNL CODE: NWW  
WORD COUNT: 3668

...TEXT: our ISF The Internet link let us perform massive zone transfers and other large-scale IP address operations, but most of our testing occurred just on our network's intranet. Throughout the...

...a C++ program we wrote that issued DHCP-DISCOVER messages. Some of these messages were valid requests for IP address information, but we also deliberately created many invalid requests . Our invalid situations included duplicate requests, missing DHCP-REQUEST messages and lease renewal requests at...

...to measure how quickly each Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) server could assign 50,000 IP addresses .

We also tested the products' handling of implied source subnet qualifier overrides to verify selection...  
? t33/3,k/18-19

33/3,k/18 (Item 16 from file: 15)  
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)  
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01489219 01-40207  
Don't get spammed  
Gaskin, James E  
Informationweek n644 PP: 53-64 Aug 18, 1997  
ISSN: 8750-6874 JRNL CODE: IWK  
WORD COUNT: 2428

...ABSTRACT: anti-relaying features in its Messaging server for just these reasons. Messages with suspicious return addresses , or ones that attempt to send multiple E-mail copies, are dumped automatically. The first step in solving the spam problem is blocking E-mail from known bad addresses . The next step is to verify each incoming E-mail message by checking the authenticity of the supposed sender. Content filtering...

33/3,k/19 (Item 17 from file: 15)

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01432104 00-83091

Under Attack -- What hackers know will harm you. Here's a manager's guide to 'Net Hacking 101

Higgins, Kelly Jackson

CommunicationsWeek n653 PP: 47-51 Mar 10, 1997

ISSN: 0746-8121 JRNL CODE: CWE

...ABSTRACT: Flood technique. There are a few emerging varieties of attacks, such as web spoofing, the Ping o' Death and Domain Name Service hijacking, as well as the more sinister social engineering method, where a hacker uses...

...skills to dupe someone into providing him ammunition for his impending attack - such as a legitimate user name and password.  
? t33/3,k/27

33/3,K/27 (Item 1 from file: 613)

DIALOG(R)File 613:PR Newswire

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01083242 20031210LAW081 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

SCO Experiences Distributed Denial of Service Attack

PR Newswire

Wednesday, December 10, 2003 15:19 EST

JOURNAL CODE: PR LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE

WORD COUNT: 386

TEXT:

...a large scale distributed denial of service (DDoS) attack. The attack caused the company's web site (www.sco.com) and corporate operational traffic to be unavailable during the morning hours including e-mail, the company intranet, and customer support operations. The company's web site remains unavailable while this DDoS attack continues to take place. The company is working with...

...place when several thousand servers were compromised by an unknown person to overload SCO's web site with illegitimate web site requests. The flood of traffic by these illegitimate requests caused the company's ISP's Internet bandwidth to be consumed so the web site was inaccessible to any other legitimate web user.

"SCO is working with law enforcement officials and gathering information through mechanisms that...  
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33/3,K/29 (Item 3 from file: 613)

DIALOG(R)File 613:PR Newswire

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00823778 20020917NYTU123 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

Navastream Secures Remote Management Vulnerability in Polycom

PR Newswire

Tuesday, September 17, 2002 10:02 EDT

JOURNAL CODE: PR LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE

WORD COUNT: 842

...a filter rule to limit access to the videoconference system by port, protocol and remote IP address . If a request is made from an unauthorized location or via an unauthorized protocol or...

...To counteract denial of service (DoS) attacks, the VIPs can be configured to limit the number of connection attempts from a given range of IP addresses .

The Navastream VIP can also authenticate remote management and videoconference sessions to protected videoconference systems by digital certificates. Security conscious administrators...

33/3,K/34 (Item 1 from file: 610)

DIALOG(R)File 610:Business Wire

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00939209 20030730211B0272 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

Xaffire to Provide Internap with IP Performance Monitoring Service; Leading Provider of Performance-Based Routing Selects Xaffire for Third-Party IP Verification

Business Wire

Wednesday, July 30, 2003 08:35 EDT

JOURNAL CODE: BW LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE

WORD COUNT: 314

Xaffire Measurement Services offer true, third-party verification of Internap's performance through algorithmic "pinging" and trace routes to IP

addresses . xaffire's technology provides an accurate end-to-end view of Internet data flow that...

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File 2:INSPEC 1898-2007/Jun W2  
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File 56:Computer and Information Systems Abstracts 1966-2007/Jun  
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File 57:Electronics & Communications Abstracts 1966-2007/Jun  
(c) 2007 CSA.  
File 60:ANTE: Abstracts in New Tech & Engineer 1966-2007/Jun  
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S3	10170	URL OR URLS OR URI OR URIS OR URN OR URNS
S4	98190	(WEB OR INTERNET OR WWW OR W3 OR NET)(1W)(SITE? ? OR PAGE? ? OR ADDRESS?? OR IDENTIFIER? ?) OR WEBPAGE? OR WEBSITE?
S5	5344	HOMEPAGE? OR HOME()PAGE? ?
S6	7085	(IP OR INTERNET()PROTOCOL OR DOMAIN)(1W)(ADDRESS?? OR NAME? ? OR NUMBER? ?) OR DOTTED(1W)QUAD? ? OR FQDN? ?
S7	1336271	REQUEST??? OR QUERY??? OR QUERIE? ? OR INQUIR? OR ENQUIR? - OR REQUISITION? ? OR ATTEMPT? OR TRIE? ? OR TRY???
S8	7747	PING???
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S10	778	(ARRAY? ? OR MYRIAD? ? OR SERIES)(1W)S7
S11	1726	S7(3N)(COPIOUS? OR PROFUSION? OR PLENITUD? OR MASS???)
S12	7297	S7(3N)(FLOOD??? OR BULK OR VOLUME? ? OR PIPELIN??? OR CASCAD??? OR CLUSTER??? OR CHAIN??? OR REDUNDAN?)
S13	29579	S7(3N)(ABUNDAN? OR MULTIPLE? ? OR GROUP??? OR VOLUMINOUS? - OR QUANTITY? ? OR QUANTITIES OR NUMBER? ?)
S14	4668758	SITE OR SITES OR PAGE OR PAGES OR ADDRESS?? OR DOMAIN? ?
S15	2134207	LEGITIMA? OR VALID? OR AUTHENTIC? OR VERIFY? OR VERIFIE?? - OR VERIFICAT? OR SUBSTANTIAT? OR GENUINE OR BONAFIDE? OR BONA-C)FIDE? ?
S16	689	S15(5N)S2:S6
S17	25845	S15(5N)S14
S18	160	S8(5N)(S2:S6 OR S14)
S19	1	S18 AND S16:S17

S20 2 S18(50N)S15  
 S21 1220 S9:S13(5N)(SEND??? OR SENT OR SUBMIT? OR SUBMISSION? ? OR -  
 TRANSMIT? OR TRANSMISSION? ? OR DISSEMINAT? OR ISSU???)  
 S22 1379 S9:S13(5N)(ISSUANCE? ? OR STREAM??? OR DISPATCH? OR DELIVE-  
 R??? OR CONVERY????? OR DISTRIBUT????? OR NETCAST?)  
 S23 631 S9:S13(5N)(THROUGHPUT? OR THROUGH()PUT????? OR COMMUNICAT??-  
 ?? OR UNICAST? OR CYBERCAST? OR BROADCAST? OR WEBCAST?)  
 S24 140 S9:S13(5N)(MULTICAST? OR NETCAST? OR MULTISTREAM? OR EXPOR-  
 T??? OR EXPORTATION? OR CYBERSTREAM? OR NARROWCAST?)  
 S25 61 S9:S13(5N)(DISPERS? OR DISBURS? OR CAST???)  
 S26 3 S18 AND S15  
 S27 194 S21:S25(7N)(S2:S6 OR S14)  
 S28 4 S27 AND S16:S17  
 S29 7 S26 OR S28  
 S30 4 S29/2004:2007  
 S31 3 S29 NOT S30  
 S32 3 RD (unique items)  
 S33 42 S16:S17 AND S9:S13  
 S34 17 S33/2004:2007  
 S35 25 S33 NOT (S34 OR S29)  
 S36 23 RD (unique items)

36/7/5 (Item 5 from file: 2)

DIALOG(R)File 2:INSPEC

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06755743 INSPEC Abstract Number: C9801-7250R-001

Title: The Internet robot's guide to a web site

Author(s): Engst, T.

Journal: BYTE (International Edition) vol.22, no.5 p.63-4

Publisher: McGraw-Hill,

Publication Date: May 1997 Country of Publication: USA

CODEN: BYTEDJ ISSN: 0360-5280

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Material Identity Number: G109-97011

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Language: English Document Type: Journal Paper (JP)

Treatment: Practical (P)

Abstract: Although catalog sites often employ humans to verify and classify web pages, many of them also harvest and maintain vast quantities of information through the use of automated programs called robots. Robots typically start with a page of links and recursively follow all the links from that initial page. Although robots serve the useful purpose of adding sites to web-search sites, they can also overwhelm a server's resources by barraging a site with multiple requests. Further, they might record web pages that you do not want to appear in web-search sites. However, robots can be steered away from certain pages through the use of the Standard for Robots Exclusion (SRE). Koster has created an Internet Draft of the SRE and plans to submit it to the Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) for further discussion and standardization.

(0 Refs)

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File 347:JAPIO Dec 1976-2006/Dec(Updated 070403)

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File 350:Derwent WPIX 1963-2007/UD=200738

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S3	11911	URL OR URLS OR URI OR URIS OR URN OR URNS
S4	38657	(WEB OR INTERNET OR WWW OR W3 OR NET)(1W)(SITE? ? OR PAGE? ? OR ADDRESS?? OR IDENTIFIER? ?) OR WEBPAGE? OR WEBSITE?
S5	8000	HOMEPAGE? OR HOME()PAGE? ?
S6	14551	(IP OR INTERNET()PROTOCOL OR DOMAIN)(1W)(ADDRESS?? OR NAME? ? OR NUMBER? ?) OR DOTTED(1W)QUAD? ? OR FQDN? ?
S7	352460	REQUEST??? OR QUERY??? OR QUERIE? ? OR INQUIR? OR ENQUIR? - OR REQUISITION? ? OR ATTEMPT? OR TRIE? ? OR TRY???
S8	1759	PING???
S9	7494	(MANY OR MULTI OR SEVERAL OR NUMEROUS OR PLURAL? OR MULTIT- UD? OR PLURIF? OR MULTIPLICIT?)(1W)S7
S10	603	(ARRAY? ? OR MYRIAD? ? OR SERIES)(1W)S7
S11	297	S7(3N)(COPIOUS? OR PROFUSION? OR PLENITUD? OR MASS???)
S12	2412	S7(3N)(FLOOD??? OR BULK OR VOLUME? ? OR PIPELIN??? OR CASC- AD??? OR CLUSTER??? OR CHAIN??? OR REDUNDAN?)
S13	20299	S7(3N)(ABUNDAN? OR MULTIPLE? ? OR GROUP??? OR VOLUMINOUS? - OR QUANTITY? ? OR QUANTITIES OR NUMBER? ?)
S14	700178	SITE OR SITES OR PAGE OR PAGES OR ADDRESS?? OR DOMAIN? ?
S15	166690	LEGITIMA? OR VALID? OR AUTHENTIC? OR VERIFY? OR VERIFIE?? - OR VERIFICAT? OR SUBSTANTIAT? OR GENUINE OR BONAFIDE? OR BONA- ( )FIDE? ?
S16	1696	S15(5N)S2:S6
S17	6695	S15(5N)S14
S18	81	S8(5N)(S2:S6 OR S14)
S19	8	S18 AND S16:S17
S20	7	S18(50N)S15
S21	5263	S9:S13(5N)(SEND??? OR SENT OR SUBMIT? OR SUBMISSION? ? OR - TRANSMIT? OR TRANSMISSION? ? OR DISSEMINAT? OR ISSU???)
S22	1160	S9:S13(5N)(ISSUANCE? ? OR STREAM??? OR DISPATCH? OR DELIVE- R??? OR CONVERY????? OR DISTRIBUT????? OR NETCAST?)
S23	2092	S9:S13(5N)(THROUGHPUT? OR THROUGH()PUT????? OR COMMUNICAT??- ?? OR UNICAST? OR CYBERCAST? OR BROADCAST? OR WEBCAST?)
S24	196	S9:S13(5N)(MULTICAST? OR NETCAST? OR MULTISTREAM? OR EXPOR- T??? OR EXPORTATION? OR CYBERSTREAM? OR NARROWCAST?)
S25	51	S9:S13(5N)(DISPERS? OR DISBURS? OR CAST???)
S26	666	S21:S25(7N)(S2:S6 OR S14)
S27	25	S26 AND S16:S17
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S32	21	S28 AND PY=1963:2003
S33	29	S29:S32
S34	29	IDPAT (sorted in duplicate/non-duplicate order)
S35	29	IDPAT (primary/non-duplicate records only)

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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WPI ACC NO: 2005-743520/200576

XRPX ACC No: N2005-612922

Dead electronic mail identification method in e.g.network electronic mail system, involves processing delivery attribute values by pinging address and performing simple network monitoring query for address

Patent Assignee: INT BUSINESS MACHINES CORP (IBMC)

Inventor: KUBIK J; ULLMANN L E

Patent Family (1 patents, 1 countries)

Patent Number	Kind	Date	Application Number	Kind	Date	Update
US 6959324	B1	20051025	US 2000671059	A	20000928	200576 B

Priority Applications (no., kind, date): US 2000671059 A 20000928

#### Patent Details

Number	Kind	Lan	Pg	Dwg	Filing Notes
US 6959324	B1	EN	16	10	

#### Alerting Abstract US B1

NOVELTY - A response including validity information indicating whether the address is an invalid address and delivery attribute values comprising delivery information regarding the electronic message, is received. The delivery attribute values are processed by pinging the address and performing simple network monitoring query for the address to form delivery failure analysis information.

DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

- 1.dead electronic mail identification apparatus; and
- 2.computer program product for dead electronic mail identification.

USE - For identifying dead electronic mail (e-mail) in network e-mail system and web-based e-mail system.

ADVANTAGE - Enhances analysis of delivery failures by adding generic attributes to electronic mail (e-mail).

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows a block diagram of the network electronic mail (e-mail) system.

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: DEAD; ELECTRONIC; MAIL; IDENTIFY; METHOD; NETWORK; SYSTEM; PROCESS; DELIVER; ATTRIBUTE; VALUE; ADDRESS; PERFORMANCE; SIMPLE; MONITOR; QUERY

#### Class Codes

International Classification (Main): G06F-013/00

US Classification, Issued: 709206000, 709217000, 709224000, 719328000

File Segment: EPI;

DWPI Class: T01; W01

Manual Codes (EPI/S-X): T01-N01C; T01-N02B2B; T01-S03; W01-A06A3; W01-A06E1

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...NOVELTY - A response including validity information indicating whether the address is an invalid address and delivery attribute values comprising delivery information regarding the electronic message, is received. The delivery attribute values are processed by pinging the address and performing simple network monitoring query for the address to form delivery failure analysis information.

#### Original Publication Data by Authority

#### Original Abstracts:

A dead e-mail identification locator discovers dead e-mail addresses without forwarding messages to valid recipients. Existing headers in



the mail protocol are extended to include a test header. A mail server that supports...

...the address does exist. The test header allows a sender to test an e-mail address for validity without the message being forwarded to the user, as will be described below. The sender may be a dead...

Claims:

...to the recipient;receiving a response, the response including validity information indicating whether that the address is an invalid address , and at least one delivery attribute value corresponding to the at least one delivery attribute, the at least one...

...wherein the step of processing the at least one delivery attribute value comprises one of pinging the address and performing a simple network monitoring query for the address.> Basic Derwent week: 200576

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0012852793 - Drawing available  
WPI ACC NO: 2002-711479/ 200277  
XRPX ACC No: N2002-561070

Electronic mail message sending method involves verifying whether e-mail address is valid by sending test message to address before sending actual message

Patent Assignee: MICRON TECHNOLOGY INC (MICR-N)

Inventor: ROLLINS D

Patent Family (1 patents, 1 countries)

Patent Number	Kind	Date	Application Number	Kind	Date	Update
US 6434601	B1	20020813	US 1999281935	A	19990331	200277 B

Priority Applications (no., kind, date): US 1999281935 A 19990331

Patent Details

Number	Kind	Lan	Pg	Dwg	Filing Notes
US 6434601	B1	EN	11	3	

Alerting Abstract US B1

NOVELTY - An e-mail address of an intended recipient is received into address accepting field of an e-mail software program. The e-mail message is sent to user based on whether verification of address is valid by sending a test/ ping message to the address before sending the actual message.

DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are included for the following:

- 1.Electronic mail message sending system;
- 2.Computer readable storage medium storing electronic mail sending program; and
- 3.Computer readable code transmitting method.

USE - For sending electronic mail messages in internet.

ADVANTAGE - The execution of a ping is an extremely quick way to verify the mail address .

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows the e-mail delivery system.

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: ELECTRONIC; MAIL; MESSAGE; SEND; METHOD; VERIFICATION; ADDRESS; VALID; TEST; ACTUAL

Class Codes

International Classification (Main): G06F-015/16  
US Classification, Issued: 709206000, 709232000  
File Segment: EPI;  
DWPI Class: T01  
Manual Codes (EPI/S-X): T01-N01C; T01-S03

Electronic mail message sending method involves verifying whether e-mail address is valid by sending test message to address before sending actual message

Alerting Abstract ...e-mail software program. The e-mail message is sent to user based on whether verification of address is valid by sending a test/ ping message to the address before sending the actual message.  
...ADVANTAGE - The execution of a ping is an extremely quick way to verify the mail address .

#### Original Publication Data by Authority

#### Claims:

...least one intended recipient of said e-mail message into an address accepting field of an e-mail software program; verifying whether said at least one entered e-mail address is valid and able to receive e-mail messages, said verification being performed by said e-mail software program sending a ping/test message prior to...

Basic Derwent Week: 200277

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35/69,K/18 (Item 18 from file: 350)  
DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX  
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0012478315 - Drawing available

WPI ACC NO: 2002-425115/ 200245

XRPX ACC No: N2002-334255

Network presence information distribution and maintenance method for internet application, involves transmitting peer network presence information from server to client, to verify peer network presence

Patent Assignee: DREKE C (DREK-I); EDWARDS J W (EDWA-I); HAZZARD W K (HAZZ-I); INTEL CORP (ITLC); KUNZE A (KUNZ-I)

Inventor: DREKE C; EDWARDS J W; HAZZARD W K; KUNZE A

Patent Family (2 patents, 1 countries)

Patent

Application

Number	Kind	Date	Number	Kind	Date	Update
US 20020035594	A1	20020321	US 1998221628	A	19981228	200245 B
US 6463471	B1	20021008	US 1998221628	A	19981228	200269 E

Priority Applications (no., kind, date): US 1998221628 A 19981228

#### Patent Details

Number	Kind	Lan	Pg	Dwg	Filing Notes
US 20020035594	A1	EN	9	4	

Alerting Abstract US A1

NOVELTY - One of the client (1-3) sends a message including user network presence information and a request for peer network presence information, to an internet presence information server (4). The server forwards the requested information to the client. The client then verifies the peer network presence using received information.

DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

1.Computer program product for information distribution and maintenance;

2. Peer-to-peer network system;

3. Server-based peer-to-peer network system

USE - In internet applications such as internet phones, workgroup applications, games and services such as internet facsimile. Also for ascertaining presence of user devices like cellular telephone, in network.

ADVANTAGE - The clients are able to directly communicate with each other simultaneously without utilizing server by using application program interface (API). IP address provided to each peer provides authentication whether the intended peer is available or not.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows three client computers adapted to be coupled to an internet presence information (IPIS) server.

1-3 Clients

4 Internet presence information server

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional words: NETWORK; PRESENCE; INFORMATION; DISTRIBUTE; MAINTAIN; METHOD; APPLY; TRANSMIT; PEER; SERVE; CLIENT; VERIFICATION

#### Class Codes

International Classification (Main): G06F-015/173

(Additional/Secondary): G06F-015/16

US Classification, Issued: 709203000, 709200000, 709224000, 709207000, 709204000

File Segment: EPI;

DWPI Class: T01; W01

Manual Codes (EPI/S-X): T01-C07D; T01-N02A2; T01-S03; W01-A06F2; W01-A06G3; W01-B05A1D

Alerting Abstract ...directly communicate with each other simultaneously without utilizing server by using application program interface (API). IP address provided to each peer provides authentication whether the intended peer is available or not.

#### Original Publication Data by Authority

#### Original Abstracts:

...directly contact the peers on the first list received from the IPIS by confirming and authenticating the received IP addresses. According to policy, the user directly contacts the peers on the...

...the user is currently signed on-line. Finally, the user periodically "pings" (directly contacts) the confirmed and authenticated IP addresses from the first list received from the IPIS to determine when those peers sign off-line...

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...is currently signed on-line. Finally, the user periodically "pings" (directly contacts) the confirmed and authenticated IP addresses from the first list received from the IPIS to determine when those peers sign off-line.

#### Claims:

...a last known network address for each peer from the server; transmitting to each network address a first message to verify that each network address is active; in response to the first message, receiving a peer identity corresponding to each active network address; determining whether the identity of the peer corresponding to each active network address matches with the identity of the one or more peers included in the first

list of peers; and for each determined match, validating the peer included in the first list of peers as an authentic peer of interest.  
Basic Derwent Week: 200245

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0012477302 - Drawing available  
WPI ACC NO: 2002-424066/ 200245  
Method for verifying valid electronic mail address  
Patent Assignee: HWANG W S (HWAN-I)  
Inventor: HWANG W S  
Patent Family (1 patents, 1 countries)  
Patent  
Number Kind Date Application Number Kind Date Update  
KR 2002001237 A 20020109 KR 200035657 A 20000627 200245 B

Priority Applications (no., kind, date): KR 200035657 A 20000627

Patent Details  
Number Kind Lan Pg Dwg Filing Notes  
KR 2002001237 A KO 1 10

Alerting Abstract KR A

NOVELTY - A method for verifying a valid electronic mail address is provided to make a member managing server verify whether an E-mail address being inputted by a client is a valid E-mail address in real time in case that a client connects to a member managing server and inputs personal information of the client.

DESCRIPTION - A client connects to an information supplying server and inputs an E-mail address of a client(101). The information supplying server judges as to a validity of an E-mail address supplying server through a communication with the E-mail address supplying server providing an E-mail address of the client(102). The information supplying server judges as to the validity of the E-mail address supplying server using a communication with the E-mail address supplying server through a ping process. The information supplying server checks whether a host name of an E-mail address inputted by the client is existed in a host name database from a host name database registering a host name verified as a valid host name for judging the validity.

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional words: METHOD; VERIFICATION; VALID;  
ELECTRONIC; MAIL; ADDRESS

Class Codes  
International Classification (Main): G06F-017/60

File Segment: EPI;  
DWPI Class: T01  
Manual Codes (EPI/S-X): T01-J05A  
Method for verifying valid electronic mail address

Alerting Abstract ...NOVELTY - A method for verifying a valid electronic mail address is provided to make a member managing server verify whether an E-mail address being inputted by a client is a valid E-mail address in real time in case that a client connects to a member managing server and...  
...E-mail address of a client(101). The information supplying server judges as to a validity of an E-mail address supplying server through a communication with the E-mail address supplying server providing an E-mail address of the client(102). The information supplying server judges as to the validity of the E-mail address supplying server using a

communication with the E-mail address supplying server through a ping process. The information supplying server checks whether a host name of an E-mail address...

...existed in a host name database from a host name database registering a host name verified as a valid host name for judging the validity .

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX  
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0009601257 - Drawing available  
WPI ACC NO: 1999-550215/ 199946  
XRPX ACC No: N1999-407087  
Radio affiliation database updating method for RF communication systems  
Patent Assignee: MOTOROLA INC (MOTI)  
Inventor: PETERSON L M; YI S A  
Patent Family (1 patents, 1 countries)  
Patent  
Number Kind Date Number Kind Date Update  
US 5946632 A 19990831 US 1997778857 A 19970106 199946 B

Priority Applications (no., kind, date): US 1997778857 A 19970106

#### Patent Details

Number	Kind	Lan	Pg	Dwg	Filing	Notes
US 5946632	A	EN	9	4		

#### Alerting Abstract US A

NOVELTY - The controller (120) receiving an affiliation request message (171) from the radio (101) determines whether the target sites (135,145) are in a valid site group. The radio receives an affiliation denial message (181) and updated database message (191) based on which radio database (110) is updated.

DESCRIPTION - The affiliation denial message denies permission for the radio to affiliate with the target site. The updated database message is based on the controller database which is altered by adding one site to the controller allowed site group. When the radio is not currently affiliated with sites, waits until the radio is affiliated with atleast one site and then sends updated database message based on the controller database.

USE - For updating radio affiliation database in radio frequency communication system.

ADVANTAGE - By updating the radio database based on updated database message from controller. No necessity for the radio user or system manager to notice repeated affiliation attempts and recognize that there is a programming conflict between radio and controller.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows the radio frequency communication system suitable for demonstrating a method for updating a radio affiliation database.

- 101 Radio
- 110 Radio database
- 120 Controller
- 135,145 Target sites
- 171 Affiliation request message
- 181 Affiliation denial message
- 191 Updated database message

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional words: RADIO; DATABASE; UPDATE; METHOD;  
RF; COMMUNICATE; SYSTEM

## Class Codes

International Classification (Main): H04Q-007/28  
US Classification, Issued: 455525000, 455520000

File Segment: EPI;

DWPI Class: W01; W02

Manual Codes (EPI/S-X): W01-B05A7; W02-C03C3A; W02-C03C3G

...120) receiving an affiliation request message (171) from the radio (101) determines whether the target sites (135,145) are in a valid site group. The radio receives an affiliation denial message (181) and updated database message (191) based...

## Original Publication Data by Authority

### Original Abstracts:

...radio frequency sites (135, 145) based on a radio database (110) defining a group of valid site affiliations and a group of invalid site affiliations. Affiliations by the radio are controlled by a controller (120) with a controller database...

#### Claims:

...of sites being coupled to the controller, the radio including a radio database defining a valid site group and an invalid site group, the valid site group comprising those sites of the plurality of sites with which affiliations are valid for the radio, the invalid site group comprising those sites with which affiliations are invalid for the radio, the radio being arranged for...

...the radio:(a) desiring to affiliate with a target site;(b) determining when the target site is a member of the valid site group;(c) when the target site is a member of the valid site group, sending an affiliation request message to the controller, the affiliation request message requesting permission for the radio to affiliate with the target site;(d) determining when an affiliation denial...

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Establishing active devices on network e.g. for digital communications - detecting active devices in ARP tables from routers on network, and sending pings to active devices for verification, or sending batch of pings and monitoring network for responses

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Inventor: JANZE L; NELSON J; RANGARAJAN G; RAVICHANDRAN K

Patent Family (3 patents, 7 countries)

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JP 10056451	A	19980224	JP 1997119449	A	19970509	199818 E
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### Patent Details

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Alerting Abstract 'EP A2

The method of discovering devices on a network comprises accessing an ARP (Address Resolution Protocol) table from at least one device on the network including accessing a local ARP table. The accessed ARP table is used to identify other devices on the network.

A number of gateways are identified on the network where N is a positive integer, and an ARP table is retrieved from at least one of the identified gateways.

USE/ADVANTAGE - E.g. for network of personal computers. Can discover devices on network at higher speed.

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: ESTABLISH; ACTIVE; DEVICE; NETWORK; DIGITAL; COMMUNICATE; DETECT; TABLE; ROUTER; SEND; VERIFICATION; BATCH; MONITOR; RESPOND

Class Codes

International Classification (Main): G06F-017/00, H04L-012/26, H04L-029/06

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Original Abstracts:

...from routers on the network. Pings can then be sent to the active devices for verification, or pings can be sent to devices at other addresses on the network. Devices can also be discovered by sending a batch of pings to addresses on the network and monitoring responses from those addresses over an interval. After the interval elapses, another batch of...

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Claims:

...the network; identifying additional devices on the network by: sending at least two batches of pings to addresses of devices that have not been identified in accessed ARP tables; and after sending each batch of pings, waiting an interval for responses from any devices at the addresses to which the pings were sent; wherein the step of sending a batch of pings comprises sending pings to multiple addresses without waiting for responses until all the pings have been sent to the multiple addresses.>

Basic Derwent Week: 199801

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Increasing number of inputs to microprocessor-based controller - combines

addressing and configuration data to select one of allowed range of addresses for peripheral and waits for peripheral acknowledgement

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Patent			Application			
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FR 2744539	A1	19970808	FR 1997401	A	19970116	199739 B
CA 2186334	A	19970802	CA 2186334	A	19960924	199749 E
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#### Alerting Abstract FR A1

The data processing system has a number of peripherals (104) and an address decoder connected to the peripheral. The address decoder has an address input (108) and a configuration input (112) coupled to the data input (114). The address decoder is configured to select the peripheral after both the address input and the configuration input are available if the peripheral has a range of allowed addresses.

A processor (102) coupled to the peripheral and to the address decoder attempts to communicate with the peripheral by verifying the range of possible addresses for the peripheral till the peripheral responds.

USE - Embedded controllers, particularly those used in domestic appliances

ADVANTAGE - Allows peripheral configuration and addressing inputs that are not needed to be made available to other devices, extending number of peripherals that can be connected to microprocessor.

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional words: INCREASE; NUMBER; INPUT; MICROPROCESSOR; BASED; CONTROL; COMBINATION; ADDRESS; CONFIGURATION; DATA; SELECT; ONE; ALLOW; RANGE; PERIPHERAL; ACKNOWLEDGE; EMBEDDED; CONTROLLERS; DOMESTIC; APPLIANCES

#### Class Codes

International Classification (Main): G06F-013/14, G06F-003/00

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File Segment: EPI;

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Alerting Abstract ...to the peripheral and to the address decoder attempts to communicate with the peripheral by verifying the range of possible addresses for the peripheral till the peripheral responds...

#### Original Publication Data by Authority

#### Claims:

...and to the address input of the address decoder, the processor configured to attempt communication with the peripheral by checking the plurality of possible device addresses of the peripheral until the address decoder selects the peripheral and the peripheral gives a...

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INFORMATION COMMUNICATION DEVICE

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#### ABSTRACT

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To simply set an IP address by using a connected telephone set in the Internet telephone system.

SOLUTION: When a button '\*' or '#' of a telephone set is depressed, an address setting mode is set and numerals entered sequentially are stored in an address storage section 21. An address verification section 22 verifies whether or not the numerals are proper as the IP address, and when proper, a ping section 23 applies ping processing to them to check the arrival possibility to a speech destination. When any error is in existence in the checking above, address re-entry is urged in voice by a message synthesis section 25 and a voice output section 26. When a proper address is set, a transmission state detection section 24 detects a transmission state of a network based on the response in the ping processing to control a quantization rate of voice data by a quantization section 13.

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S3	50337	URL OR URLS OR URI OR URIS OR URN OR URNS
S4	55415	(WEB OR INTERNET OR WWW OR W3 OR NET)(1W)(SITE? ? OR PAGE? ? OR ADDRESS?? OR IDENTIFIER? ?) OR WEBPAGE? OR WEBSITE?
S5	7862	HOMEPAGE? OR HOME()PAGE? ?
S6	26431	(IP OR INTERNET()PROTOCOL OR DOMAIN)(1W)(ADDRESS?? OR NAME? ? OR NUMBER? ?) OR DOTTED(1W)QUAD? ? OR FQDN? ?
S7	2149087	REQUEST??? OR QUERY??? OR QUERIE? ? OR INQUIR? OR ENQUIR? - OR REQUISITION? ? OR ATTEMPT? OR TRIE? ? OR TRY???
S8	12356	PING???
S9	19816	(MANY OR MULTI OR SEVERAL OR NUMEROUS OR PLURAL? OR MULTITU-UD? OR PLURIF? OR MULTIPLICIT?)(1W)S7
S10	1026	(ARRAY? ? OR MYRIAD? ? OR SERIES)(1W)S7
S11	998	S7(3N)(COPIOUS? OR PROFUSION? OR PLENITUD? OR MASS???)
S12	6000	S7(3N)(FLOOD??? OR BULK OR VOLUME? ? OR PIPELIN??? OR CASC-AD??? OR CLUSTER??? OR CHAIN??? OR REDUNDAN?)
S13	39648	S7(3N)(ABUNDAN? OR MULTIPLE? ? OR GROUP??? OR VOLUMINOUS? - OR QUANTITY? ? OR QUANTITIES OR NUMBER? ?)
S14	856346	SITE OR SITES OR PAGE OR PAGES OR ADDRESS?? OR DOMAIN? ?
S15	292791	LEGITIMA? OR VALID? OR AUTHENTIC? OR VERIFY? OR VERIFIE?? - OR VERIFICAT? OR SUBSTANTIAT? OR GENUINE OR BONAFIDE? OR BONA-()FIDE? ?
S16	4393	S15(5N)S2:S6
S17	18649	S15(5N)S14
S18	511	S8(5N)(S2:S6 OR S14)
S19	163	S18 AND S16:S17
S20	58	S18(50N)S15
S21	6777	S9:S13(5N)(SEND??? OR SENT OR SUBMIT? OR SUBMISSION? ? OR -TRANSMIT? OR TRANSMISSION? ? OR DISSEMINAT? OR ISSU???)
S22	1849	S9:S13(5N)(ISSUANCE? ? OR STREAM??? OR DISPATCH? OR DELIVER??? OR CONVERY???? OR DISTRIBUT???? OR NETCAST?)
S23	2106	S9:S13(5N)(THROUGHPUT? OR THROUGH()PUT???? OR COMMUNICAT??-?? OR UNICAST? OR CYBERCAST? OR BROADCAST? OR WEBCAST?)
S24	425	S9:S13(5N)(MULTICAST? OR NETCAST? OR MULTISTREAM? OR EXPOR-T??? OR EXPORTATION? OR CYBERSTREAM? OR NARROWCAST?)
S25	124	S9:S13(5N)(DISPERS? OR DISBURS? OR CAST???)
S26	814	S21:S25(7N)(S2:S6 OR S14)
S27	30	S26(50N)S16:S17
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S30	46	S28 AND AC=US AND AY=1963:2003
S31	46	S28 AND AC=US AND AY=(1963:2003)/PR
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Apparatus and method for discovering active devices using IP

Gerat und Verfahren zur Erkennung aktiver Knoten mittels IP  
Dispositif et methode pour la decouverte de noeuds actifs avec IP

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ABSTRACT EP 809383 A2

Active devices can be discovered in ARP tables from routers on the network. Pings can then be sent to the active devices for verification, or pings can be sent to devices at other addresses on the network. Devices can also be discovered by sending a batch of pings to addresses on the network and monitoring responses from those addresses over an interval. After the interval elapses, another batch of pings can be sent. The devices can be discovered by a host on the network or by a network manager. The network manager can add the discovered devices to a network topology database.

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Network management system with improved node discovery and monitoring  
Netzwerkverwaltungssystem mit verbesserter Knotenerkennung und -überwachung  
Systeme de gestion de reseau avec surveillance et detection amelioree de  
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...SPECIFICATION that are to be polled (step 514). when the network

management station is performing status verification tasks, pings are sent to the newly discovered nodes and nodes identified in the status...  
...above, the pings are sent in a controlled sequence at a predetermined rate.  
As the pings are sent, the IP address associated with each polled node is stored in IP record of an unacknowledged poll table...  
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SYSTEMS, DEVICES, AND METHODS FOR NETWORK WIZARDS  
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English Abstract

Certain exemplary embodiments comprise a method for configuring a network  
interface device. The network interface device can be adaptable to

connect a programmable logic controller to a network. The method can comprise automatically enforcing, via a wizard, user compliance with a plurality of predetermined steps for a computer-assisted configuration of the network interface device. The computer-assisted configuration of the network interface device can relate to an OSI transport layer or above. The method can comprise receiving at least one setting associated with a network connection for the network interface device

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Detailed Description

Detailed Description

... IP address of an SMTP server, etc. In certain exemplary embodiments, address settings can be verified by comparing settings to predetermined formats and/or ranges for valid settings.

In certain exemplary embodiments, address settings can be verified, for example, by pingging the addresses and detecting a response.

[101] FIG.4 is a block diagram of an exemplary embodiment of an information device 4000, which in certain operative embodiments...

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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DISPLAYING IMAGES AND VIDEO WITHIN A WEB PAGE

SYSTEME ET PROCEDE PERMETTANT D'AFFICHER DES IMAGES ET DES VIDEOS DANS UNE PAGE WEB

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English Abstract

A system and method for displaying images and video with a web page are disclosed. In one embodiment, images and video may be displayed in a web page by providing a web page including a display window, a timer, and a video retrieval module. The timer may commence upon the web page being downloaded into a browser at a client device. The web page displays a first image in the display window and plays at least a portion of a first video file within the display window in response to entry of a play command. The web page displays a second image in the display window in response to the expiration of a predetermined time as determined by the timer and no entry of the play command.

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Detailed Description

Detailed Description

... the server cluster 108. As those skilled in the art appreciate, "pinging" generally refers to verifying that an IP address exists and accepts requests. By pinging one or more servers of the server cluster 108, the network connection checker 412 confirms...

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REAL-TIME PACKET TRACEBACK AND ASSOCIATED PACKET MARKING STRATEGIES  
TRACAGE EN TEMPS REEL DE PAQUETS ET STRATEGIES DE MARQUAGE DE PAQUETS  
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Detailed Description

Claims

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English Abstract

To facilitate effective and efficient tracing of packet flows back to a  
trusted point as near as possible to the source of the flow in question,  
devices on the border of the trusted region are configured to mark  
packets with partial address information. Typically, the markings  
comprise fragments of IP addresses of the border devices in combination  
with fragment identifiers. By combining a small number of marked packets,  
victims or other interested parties are able to reconstruct the IP  
address of each border device that forwarded a particular packet flow  
into the trusted region, and thereby approximately locate the source(s)  
of traffic without requiring the assistance of outside network operators.  
Moreover, traceback can be done in real-time, e.g. while a DDoS attack is  
on-going, so that the attack can be stopped before the victim suffers  
serious damage.

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... final step to reduce false positives could be to check whether the reconstructed addresses are valid IP addresses (from assigned address subspaces). One could use the ping utility to check the validity of each reconstructed IP address. This approach would, however, create significant traffic volume if the...

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HEURISTIC PROFILER FOR PACKET SCREENING  
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Detailed Description

Claims

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English Abstract

An apparatus, computer program product, and method for screening packets at an interface between a local site and an external network. A heuristic profiler scrutinizes a candidate packet and calculates a value characterizing the IP source of the packet on the basis of prior encounters with the IP source as maintained in a hashed history table entry. A filter selectively passes packets from the external network to the site on the basis, at least, of the value ascribed to the source relative to a current threshold value determined on the basis of bandwidth usage.

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Claims

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Claim

... a PING command to test an Internet connection, then program module ProcessPacketICMP 226 checks for valid ICMP syntax and drops the packet if the syntax is invalid. In case a PING to a broadcast address is detected, a defend- ping -flood indicator may be set, ...packet is determined to be a diagnostic response to another IP protocol, program module ProcessPacketICMP validates whether an appropriate connection has been logored in the 0 corresponding state table, and, if...

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NETWORK SECURITY ACCELERATOR  
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Detailed Description

Claims

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English Abstract

A network processing system uses intelligent security hardware is a security accelerator at its front end. The security hardware performs initial processing of incoming data, such as security detection tasks. The security hardware is directly connected to one or more processing units, via a bus or switch fabric, which execute appropriate applications

and/or storage programming.

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Detailed Description

... To thwart such attacks, the network processor can be programmed with various algorithms directed to authenticating source IP addresses. Yet another attack is known as "ping" attacks. In ping attacks, a...

...request. The node that is the victim of the attack is falsely listed as the address to which ping responses will be directed. The amplifier that received the ping request will broadcast the request...

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APPARATUS, METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DIRECTORY QUALITY ASSURANCE

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Detailed Description

Claims

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#### English Abstract

An apparatus, method and system to validate the integrity of a persistent identifier of information that may be located in multiple locations, formats, and accessible in variable fashions based on the context of use (135). The present disclosure further provides the ability to validate that the information being identified is valid for any given identifier. The present disclosure also teaches the ability to automatically generate tags that allows for the validation of both information and associated information identifiers either through validation and/or through registration. The invention teaches how to test and assure the quality of association between an identifier of information and the actual information. The invention details how to automatically correct poor quality references being used by identifiers, and/or provides notification escalation to aid in maintaining persistent identifier and information association (135).

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Claims

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#### Detailed Description

... for resolution with a registered DOI and/or any associated metadata) may employ such ping validation . In such an embodiment, upon transferring content from the client to a suitable storage facility, the DQAS may validate the source and/or location address of the source by ping testing the location addresses and/or source, and/or employing various other validation techniques as described throughout the present disclosure. In such an - 54 embodiment, the DQAS would...

#### Claim

... 18 The method of claim 17, wherein the policies specify escalated notifications respective to escalated validity error status.

19 The method of claim 1, wherein validating is achieved by pinging the location addresses .

20 The method of claim 19, wherein pinging includes security authorization to facilitate access to...

...source, comprising:

deten-nining a tagging code, wherein the tagging code, once recognized, establishes the validity of a source;  
tagging a source with the tagging code, wherein the source is resolved...

61 The system of claim 60, wherein the policies specify escalated notifications respective to escalated validity error status.

62 The system of claim 44, wherein validating is achieved by pinging the location addresses .

63 The system of claim 62, wherein pinging includes security authorization to facilitate access to...

...comprising:

means to determine a tagging code, wherein the tagging code, once recognized,

establishes the validity of a source;

means to tag a source with the tagging code, wherein the source...104.

The medium of claim 103, wherein the policies specify escalated

notifications respective to escalated validity error status. 105. The

medium of claim 87, wherein validating is achieved by pinging the location addresses.

106. The medium of claim 105, wherein pinging includes security

authorization to facilitate access to...147. The apparatus of claim 146, wherein the policies specify escalated

notifications respective to escalated validity error status. 148. The apparatus of claim 130, wherein validating is achieved by pinging the location addresses.

149. The apparatus of claim 148, wherein pinging includes security authorization to facilitate access to...

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METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR PROTECTING AGAINST OVERLOAD CONDITIONS ON NODES OF A DISTRIBUTED NETWORK

PROCEDES ET APPAREILS DE PROTECTION CONTRE DES CONDITIONS DE SURCHARGE SUR DES NOEUDS D'UN RESEAU DISTRIBUE

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Claims

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#### English Abstract

Methods and apparatus for protecting against and/or responding to an overload condition at a node ("victim") (H0-H4) in a distributed network divert traffic otherwise destined for the victim to one or more other nodes, which can filter the diverted traffic, passing a portion of it to the victim, and/or effect processing of one or more of the diverted packets on behalf of the victim. Diversion can be performed by one or more nodes (collectively, a "first set" of nodes) (R0-R8) external to the victim. Filtering and/or effecting traffic processing can be performed by one or more nodes (collectively, a "second set" of nodes) (G0-G3) also external to the victim. Those first and second sets can have zero, one or more nodes in common or, put another way, they may wholly, partially or not overlap. The methods and apparatus have application in protecting nodes in a distributed network, such as the Internet, against distributed denial of service (DDoS) attacks.

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#### Detailed Description

... interface.

2. Using ping (from the guard machines), to find out if the changes are legitimate, or a fake source IP address. In case of a spoofed address the answer to the ping is received on a different interface or on a different boarder router.

Attack Identification, Recognition...

...The statistical unit 16 monitors all the victim traffic that has passed the anti-spoofing authentication and was not stopped by the filter. The unit 16 samples and analyzes the traffic...

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GRAPHICAL EDITOR FOR DESIGNING AND CONFIGURING A COMPUTER NETWORK  
EDITEUR GRAPHIQUE DESTINE A DEFINIR ET A CREER UN SYSTEME INFORMATIQUE

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Detailed Description

Claims

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English Abstract

A method and apparatus for defining and deploying a networked computer system features creating and storing a graphical representation using a graphical editor to drag and drop icons representing computing elements and network elements into a workspace, such that a logical configuration of the networked computer system is represented by the graphical representation. A corresponding textual representation of the computer system is automatically created and stored according to a structured markup language. Based on the textual representation, one or more commands are generated for configuring an operable computer system that conforms to the logical configuration. The commands may be directed to one or more devices that are interconnected to one or more computing elements and storage devices, to instruct the devices to logically connect the computing elements and storage devices into the computer system. In one embodiment, a graphical representation of the logical configuration of the networked computer system is created, based on a user selection from a palette of one or more graphical icons that represent computing elements and network elements of the computer system, and a user selection of graphical interconnections of the icons. As a result, a real-world virtual server farm or data center may be created and deployed.

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Detailed Description

... performance. For example, a DNS Monitor checks a Domain Name Server via the ~20network. It verifies that the DNS server is accepting requests, and also verifies that the address for a specific domain name can be found. A Ping Monitor verifies that specified hosts are available via the network to ensure continuous availability of critical connections...

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NETWORK INTERFACE DEVICE HAVING PRIMARY AND BACKUP INTERFACES FOR AUTOMATIC  
DIAL BACKUP UPON LOSS OF A PRIMARY CONNECTION AND METHOD OF USING SAME  
DISPOSITIF D'INTERFACE RESEAU POURVU D'INTERFACES PRIMAIRES ET DE  
SAUVEGARDE POUR SAUVEGARDE AUTOMATIQUE DE LA NUMEROTATION SUITE A  
L'AFFAIBLISSEMENT D'UNE CONNEXION PRIMAIRE, ET PROCEDE UTILISANT CE  
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English Abstract

A network interface device(140) to connect a network to a virtual private  
network comprises a primary interface to a public network, such as an  
Ethernet interface to a WAN or the Internet, and a secondary, back-up  
interface to the public network. The secondary back-up connection is  
activated automatically when the primary connection fails (146). The  
network interface device (140) may be provided with further functionality  
that enables secure communication (144) over both the primary and  
secondary connection.

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Detailed Description

... with another series of n pings at step 2 1 0 to check whether a valid  
response is now received. The retry setting enables the system to  
essentially ignore momentary outages...

...system unavailability.



If, at step 220, it is determined that the results of the ICMP pinging of either target IP address is an invalid response or no response and the value of the retry parameter has...

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METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR THE PROTECTED DISTRIBUTION OF NETWORK FILES  
PROCEDE ET SYSTEME DE REPARTITION PROTEGEE DE FICHIERS DE RESEAU

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English Abstract

A system for authenticating two peers within an authentication protocol. The peers are associated with a shared secret common to the peers and an identical randomization algorithm that utilizes a pseudorandom generator. In response to a command received from a challenging peer from among a challenging peer from among the two peers, the other peer (constituting a challenged peer), applying the randomization algorithm seeded by the shared secret so as to obtain one or more outputs. The challenged peer applying transformation to the output and to data of packet so as to obtain a response. A transmitter transmitting the packet and the response to the challenging peer. The challenging peer applying the algorithm and compares the so-obtained response to that received from the challenged peer and in the case of match the challenged peer is authenticated.

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... Ping infrastructure. SurferID Server introduces the concept of HTTP Pings as an additional way to authenticate Clients. For Clients running from behind a proxy server, these pings are the only way to identify them.

Verification Clients are identified by the IP address from which

their  
pings originate. When they later make an HTTP request of the SurferID  
Server, their IP address is checked against the list of running  
Verification  
Clients. For Clients running behind a proxy server, the IP address  
attached to the HTTP...

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A domain communications server having a first computer with a disk for  
storing a dynamic client registry and resource locators containing  
function names; a web server to respond to resource locators by calling  
the function name; a database management program for organizing the  
dynamic client registry; a domain communications server which, when  
loaded by the web server, is executed to respond to resource locators  
directed to it and to direct the database management program in  
organizing the dynamic client registry; secondary computers communicating  
with the first computer, the secondary computers each having a disk for  
storing a dynamic group registry and for storing resource locators  
containing function names; each secondary computer executing a web server  
which causes it to respond to resource locators by calling the function  
indicated, each secondary computer also having a database management  
program for organizing its dynamic group registry; a client side

communications server executing in each secondary computer responding to resource locators directed to it and directing the database management program in organizing its dynamic group registry; a domain communications resource locator list stored in the computers that causes functions to be selected for execution in the domain communications server in the first computer; and a client side communications resource locator list stored in the computers that causes functions to be selected for execution in the client side communications server in the secondary computers so communications between the computers cause selected functions to be executed to manage information flow between them.

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Detailed Description

... then schedule a timer procedure to check every 60 seconds the current status of each valid client side communications server in its domain and "ping" those for which no activity has...

...requesting a status be returned from the client side communications server.

An example of a domain communications server attempting to ping a client side communications server might look like.

[https:// validCSS .com:84/](https://validCSS.com:84/) Ping

In response to this URL , the client side communications server in a preferred

embodiment will return the HTTP status code 200 signaling the domain communications server. The pinging of a client side communications server will determine its current status and ensure that it...